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Abstract of the Disclosure

A body comprising a nut retaining apparatus mounted thereon for fastening a bolt to the body.

The bolt is inserted into a bolt insertion hole at an end surface of the body from a direction

inclined with respect to a direction tangent to the body. The nut retaining apparatus comprises a

nut retainer and a nut holder, the nut retainer positioned at an insertion end of the bolt insertion

hole in the body and against which a nut member having a threaded hole abuts, and the nut

holder mounted on the body for supporting the nut member in the inclined direction. The nut

member is retained and supported in the inclined direction at a position between the nut retainer

and nut holder and continuous with the bolt insertion hole.

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